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GENTEXT/REMARKS/1. THE PURPOSE OF THIS MESSAGE IS TO ASSIGN THE  
HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AS THE LEAD AGENT (LA), THE  
U.S. ARMY MILITARY POLICE SCHOOL AS THE PRIMARY REVIEW AUTHORITY  
(PRA),

AND THE JOINT STAFF DIRECTOR FOR OPERATIONS (J-3) AS THE JOINT STAFF  
DOCTRINE SPONSOR (JSDS) FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF, "JOINT DOCTRINE FOR  
DETAINEE OPERATIONS". UNITED STATES SOUTHERN COMMAND  
(USSOUTHCOM), JOINT FORCES COMMAND (JFCOM), AND THE DEFENSE  
INTELLIGENCE AGENCY ARE DESIGNATED AS TECHNICAL REVIEW AUTHORITIES  
(TRA) IN SUPPORT OF THIS PUBLICATION.

2. BACKGROUND. IN MAY 04, THE JOINT STAFF PREPARED A PROPOSAL FOR THE  
SECDEF FOR DEVELOPMENT OF JOINT DOCTRINE FOR DETAINEE OPERATIONS IN  
RESPONSE TO A SECDEF TASKING. AN ASSESSMENT COMPLETED BY THE JOINT  
WARFIGHTING CENTER (JWFC), AND A JOINT WORKING GROUP HOSTED BY JOINT  
STAFF IN JUNE 04 RECOMMENDED MOVING FORWARD WITH DEVELOPMENT OF  
THE PUBLICATION ON AN EXPEDITED TIMELINE.

3. SCOPE. THIS PUBLICATION PROVIDES JOINT TACTICS, TECHNIQUES AND  
PROCEDURES (JTTP) FOR JOINT DETAINEE OPERATIONS. IT PRESENTS DETAINEE  
OPERATIONS GUIDANCE THE JOINT FORCE COMMANDER (JFC) CAN EMPLOY  
WHEN OVERSEEING, PLANNING OR EXECUTING THE CAPTURE, TRANSFER,  
TRANSPORT, HOLDING, OR RELEASE OF DETAINEES. THIS PUBLICATION ALSO  
PRESENTS THE ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF LEADERSHIP, COMMANDERS,  
JOINT FORCES AND VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS IN THE CONDUCT OF DETAINEE  
OPERATIONS.

4. CHAPTER OUTLINE.

A. CHAPTER 1. INTRODUCTION

1) BACKGROUND

2) PURPOSE

3) POLICY

4) LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

5) DETAINEE CLASSIFICATION

B. CHAPTER 2. PLANNING AND TRAINING FOR DETAINEE OPERATIONS.

1) DETAINEE OPERATIONS PLANNING

2) DETAINEE CONTROL AND DISCIPLINE

3) PROTECTION OF DETAINEES

4) USE OF FORCE

5) TRAINING FOR DETAINEE OPERATIONS

C. CHAPTER 3. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1) SECRETARY OF STATE
- 2) SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY
- 3) SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
- 4) SECRETARIES OF THE ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCE
- 5) CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF
- 6) COMBATANT COMMANDERS
- 7) SUBORDINATE JOINT FORCE COMMANDERS
- 8) FUNCTIONAL/SERVICE COMPONENT COMMANDERS
- 9) CHIEF OF DETENTION OPERATIONS
- 10) DETENTION FACILITY COMMANDER
- 11) GUARD COMMANDER
- 12) GUARDS
- 13) JOINT INTERROGATION COMMANDER
- 14) INTELLIGENCE ANALYSTS, INTERROGATORS, INTERPRETERS AND TRANSLATORS
- 15) J2X (CI/HUMINT) OFFICER AND COLLECTION MANAGER
- 17) INFORMATION OPERATIONS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS OFFICERS
- 18) POLYGRAPHERS (MILITARY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT)
- 19) DETENTION FACILITY MEDICAL OFFICER/SURGEON
- 20) PSYCHOLOGIST
- 21) STAFF JUDGE ADVOCATE
- 22) CHAPLAIN
- 23) ENGINEER
- 24) INTERAGENCY REPRESENTATIVES
- 25) MULTINATIONAL/ALLIED REPRESENTATIVES
- 26) INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS

#### D. CHAPTER 4. CAPTURE AND INITIAL DETENTION AND SCREENING

- 1) BACKGROUND
- 2) PRINCIPLES OF DETENTION AND SCREENING
- 3) PROCEDURES
- 3) FACILITY ORGANIZATION AND STRUCTURE
- 4) TEMPORARY FACILITIES

#### E. CHAPTER 5. TRANSPORT PROCEDURES

- 1) BACKGROUND
- 2) CONSIDERATIONS
- 3) PROCEDURES
- 4) INTRANSIT OPERATIONS FOR ESCORT MISSIONS
- 5) DETAINEE MOVEMENT BY LAND TRANSPORTATION
- 6) DETAINEE MOVEMENT BY MARITIME TRANSPORTATION
- 7) DETAINEE MOVEMENT BY AIR

#### F. CHAPTER 6. LONG TERM DETENTION FACILITY

- 1) BACKGROUND
- 2) ORGANIZATION
- 3) FACILITY OPERATIONS
- 4) RECEPTION OF DETAINEES

#### G. CHAPTER 7. TRANSFER OR RELEASE FROM DETENTION

1) BACKGROUND

2) REVIEW AND APPROVAL PROCESS

3) TRANSFER TO ESTABLISHED RECOGNIZED NATIONAL AUTHORITY, ALLIED FACILITIES OR INTER-SERVICE AGENCY

4) TRANSFER BETWEEN DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FACILITIES

5) TRANSFER OR RELEASE MISSION

G. APPENDICES

1) USE OF FORCE AND RIOT CONTROL MEASURES

2) DETENTION OF ENEMY COMBATANTS AT MILITARY CONFINEMENT FACILITIES

3) DETAINEE REPORTING SYSTEM

4) REFERENCES

5) ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS

H. GLOSSARY

1) ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

2) DEFINITIONS

5. TARGET AUDIENCE. COMMANDERS OF COMBATANT COMMANDS, SUBUNIFIED COMMANDS, COMMANDERS OF JOINT TASK FORCES, AND SUBORDINATE COMPONENTS OF THESE COMMANDS.

6. REFERENCES. THE LA WILL USE THE RELEVANT DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF DIRECTIVES; JOINT, SERVICE, MULTI-SERVICE, AND MULTINATIONAL DOCTRINE; LESSONS LEARNED FROM RECENT OPERATIONS AND EXERCISES; AND OTHER PERTINENT REGULATIONS AND MANUALS IN DEVELOPING THIS JOINT PUBLICATION.

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9. TERMINOLOGY. JP 1-02 TERMINOLOGY WILL BE USED TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT POSSIBLE. NEW OR MODIFIED TERMS SHOULD BE USED ONLY WHEN ESSENTIAL TO THE DEVELOPMENT AND UNDERSTANDING OF THE PUBLICATION.

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